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June 1954

6-18-80 on-the-air-I.D. as: "JONESBORO-HODGE, LOUISIANA  
**BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD**

Date first licensed 3-25-59

Call letters K T O C

Station location Jonesboro, Louisiana

GENERAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (AL: 1-11-80 EFF:3-1-80 EFF:4/1/76 2/23/76  
\*TRACY H. RUSHING, SR. AND E. CATHERINE RUSHING DBA JACKSON PARISH BROADCASTERS (AL gr /  
Name of licensee xxA. H. COLVIN, JR. & T. L. COLVIN, SR. d/b as JACKSON PARISH BROADCASTERS

Transmitter location Side of Gansville Rd. approx. 0.6 mi. from Jonesboro city limits  
Jonesboro, Louisiana

(BP-11,346 - 7-2-58)

622 South Hudson, Jonesboro, Louisiana (HRC 4-24-67)(Eff:8-7-67)

X Side of Gansville Rd. approx. 0.6 mi. from Jonesboro city limits

71251  
Main studio location X Same as transmitter location Jonesboro, Louisiana (BL-3-25-59)



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BP-11,346	7-2-58	920kc	500w	Day DA	9-2-58/3-2-59
	CP for a new standard broadcast station (Cond'1)				
BMP-8260 (1)	10-8-58	Mod. of	CP(BP-11,346) to	change type	transmitter to (RCA BTA-500R).
BL-7319	3-25-59	920kc	500w	Day DA	3-25 6-1-61
	License to cover c.p. (BP-11,346 as mod.) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.				
BP-13416	12-7-60	920	1kw	Day	2-7 8-7-61
	CP to increase power to 1kw and install a new transmitter (RCA BTA-1R) and change from DA-D to non-directional antenna.				
EMP-9367 (1)	3-14-61	Mod. of	CP(BP-13416) to	change type	transmitter. (BAUER 707)
	6-1-61	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-3736	9-28-61	920kc	500w DA	Day	9-28 6-1-64
BL-8429	11-21-61	920kc	1kw	Day	11-21 6-1-64
	Lic. to cover CP (BP-13,416 as mod) which auth. incr. power; instl. of new trans; and chg. from DA-D to non-directional ant.				
BR-3736	5-7-64	Renewal of License			6-1 6-1-67
BRC-3094 (1)	4-24-67	Mod. of license to change studio loc. to 622 South Hudson, Jonesboro, La. and operate transmitter by remote control from studio location.			
Eff:8-7-67					
BR-3736	5-22-67	920kc	1kw-r.	Day	6-1 6-1-70
		Renewal of NDEA			
BZ-6638 (1)	10-19-67	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.			
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	500w		
BR-3736(L)	5-27-70	Renewal & NDEA			6-1-73
EBSA	5-25-72				
BR-3736(\$)	7-31-73	RENEWAL			6-1-76
BAL-8557	2/23/76	Vol AL	EFF: 4/1/76		
BR-3736(L)	5-12-76	Renewal			6-1-79



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# BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

First licensed .....

Call Letters .. K T O C .....

Station Location .. JONESBORO, LOUISIANA

Name .....

Transmitter Location .....

Main studio location .....



# Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BAL791113FI	1-11-80	VOL. AL EFF: 3-1-80	
BR 790508 YA	8-15-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	6-1-82



FORM BC-121

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FORM A-170

A.H. COLVIN, JR. and T. L. COLVIN, SR., d/b as

Call  
Letters NEWName JACKSON PARISH BROADCASTERS  
(P.O. - Jonesboro, Louisiana)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-11,346	5-31-57	Construction permit for a new standard		
Rec'd	6-5-57	broadcast station to be operated on:		
Filed	6-5-57	Frequency - 920kc	GRANTED	7-2-58
		Power - 500w DA-D	Cond'l re: Phase Mon;	
		Hours of operation - Daytime	News. equip and Non-Da	
		Transmitter location - On W side of Gansville Rd.	Proof in addition	
		approx. 0.6 mi from city limits	to required DA.	
		Jonesboro, Louisiana		
		Studio location - Same as transmitter		
AMENDMENT	6-11-58	Engr. - Commercial Radio Equip. Co.		
R & F	6-13-58	AMENDED to make changes in DA system.		



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FORM BC-121 #2  
AUG. 1955

# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters K.T.O.C.

Name A. H. COLVIN, JR. AND T. L. COLVIN SR., D/B AS

JACKSON PARISH BROADCASTERS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-8260 Rec'd Filed	9-19-58 9-22-58 9-22-58	Modification of c.p. (BPH-11,346 which authorized a new standard broadcast station) to change type transmitter to (RCA PTA-500R).	GRANTED	10-8-58
BL-7319 Rec'd Filed	11-24-58 11-28-58 11-28-58	License to cover construction permit (BP-11,346, as mod.) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED	3-25-59
BP-13,416 Rec'd Filed	8-13-59 8-17-59 8-17-59	Construction Permit to increase power from 500w to 1kw, install a new transmitter (RCA-BTA-1R) and change from DA-D to non-directional antenna	GRANTED	12-7-60
BR-3736 Rec'd & Filed	2-24-61 2-27-61	Engr. - <u>Merl Saxon, Lufkin, Texas</u> Renewal of License	GRANTED	9-28-61



Aug. 1955

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call

Letters .....K.T.O.C.....

Name ....A. H. Colvin, Jr. & T. L. Colvin, Sr. d/b as Jackson Parish Broadcasters  
 Jonesboro, Louisiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-9367 R & F	2-13-61 2-16-61	Modification of C. P. (BP-13416, which auth. to incr. power, install a new trans. & chg. from DA-D to non-directional antenna) to change type transmitter. (Bauer 707)	GRANTED	3-14-61
BL-8429 R. & F.	3-31-61 4-3-61	License to cover C. P. (BP-13,416 as mod.) which auth. increase power; the installation of a new trans.; and change from DA-D to non-directional antenna.	GRANTED	11-21-61
BR-3736 Rec'd Filed	2-27-64 3-4-64 3-4-64	Renewal of license	GRANTED	5-7-64
BR-3736 Rec'd Filed	2-24-67 2-27-67 3-17-67	Renewal of license	GRANTED	5-22-67



FORM BC-121 #4  
AUG. 1955

# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters K T O C

Name A. M. COLVIN, JR. & T. L. COLVIN, SR. d/b as JACKSON PARISH BROADCASTERS  
Jonesboro, Louisiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-3094 R & F	4-14-67 4-17-67	Modification of license to change studio location to 622 South Hudson, Jonesboro, Louisiana and operate transmitter by remote control from studio location.	GRANTED	4-24-67 Eff: 8-7-67)
BZ- 6638 Rec'd RESUB. R & F DM-8/23/67	8/14/67 8/9/67 8/14/67 8/16/67 OCT 13 1967	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.  Engr: Howard E. Griffith, La.	<del>RETURNED</del> <del>Sect. - I</del> GRANTED	<del>8/10/67 no</del> 10-19-67
BR-3736 R & F #581549 \$75 P. R.	2-27-70 3-2-70 3-2-70 3-2-70 APR 6 1970	Renewal of License	GRANTED /	5-27-70



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920 kw

Form BC-121  
September 1969

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters K T O C

TRACY H. RUSHING, SR. AND E. CATHERINE RUSHING DBA JACKSON PARISH BROADCASTERS  
 Name ~~x~~ A. H. COLVIN, JR. & T. L. COLVIN, SR. d/b as JACKSON PARISH BROADCASTERS ✓  
JONESBORO, LOUISIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-3736 R & F PN Recd PRESS APR 23 1973	2-24-73 2-26-73 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 6-25-73 re: commercial matter; programming; employment program	GRANTED	7-31-73
BAL -8557 R & F FEE PD: \$400 #496284 CODE 047 (INCLUDES FM) NOV 21 1975	10-29-75 11-7-75 #496284	Voluntary assignment of license to TRACY H. RUSHING, SR., and E. CATHERINE RUSHING dba JACKSON PARISH BROADCASTERS  Atty - Kirkland, Ellis & Rowe (E. Krasnow) AMENDED 2-18-76 - financial data	GRANTED EFF: FEE REQ:	2/23/76 4/1/76 pd 4/7/76 W 552968
BR-3736 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAR 19 1976	1-23-76 1-26-76 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 4-5-76 to change name of applicant to Tracy H. Rushing, Sr. and E. Catherine Rushing, Jackson Parish Broadcasters"	GRANTED	5-12-76
		APR 21 1976		



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920khz

Form BC-121

May 1976

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

6-59 GENERAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Call  
Letters K T O C

Name WTRACI H. RUSHING, SR. and E. CATHERINE RUSHING dba  
JACKSON PARISH BROADCASTERS  
JONESBORO, LOUISIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR 790508 YA PRESS MAY	1 1 1979	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	8-15-79
Letter Dated PRESS (O)	7-17-79 JUL 27 1979	Filed by Catherine Rushing Request for Dual City Identification As: JONESBORO-HODGE, LOUISIANA.	GRANTED:	6-18-80
BAL791113FI FORM 314 (ALSO SEE FM) PRESS: PN FILED	DEC 3 1979 12-10-79	Vol AL to GENERAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC. Atty for assignee - B. Jay Baraff (SEE OVER)	GRANTED EFF:	1-11-80 3-1-80



BAL/FI

Amended 11-19-79 re: Financial information

Atty was called 12-3-79 - Original signature page <sup>12-3-79</sup> Sec IV nec.

AMENDED 12-6-79 re: financial qual. of Raymond Bowers &  
bank letter



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## APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

920 kHz

Call Letters: K T O C

Name: GENERAL COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Station Location: JONESBORO, LOUISIANA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BZ-810526AC R & F DM PRESS JUN 05 1981	5-22-81 5-29-81	DIRECT MEASUREMENT Atty: Robert L. Olender (Baraff, KOERNER & OLENDER, P.C.	GRANTED 5-29-81



## About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form – 3" by 5" filing cards – for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12<sup>th</sup> Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

